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FIRE AND DEATE.

Two more destructive fires resulted last night from the electric wires.

Chief SHAY, of the Fire Department, bostified yesterday before the Coroner that twenty-two fires last year were due to Improperly insulated wires.

A considerable number of persons were killed within the same period by the same cause. Death lurks for his victims to-day in hundred of danger spots in the wires, secres of which have been discovered and pointed out by THE WORLD.

And still the executive officer of the city sulks and skulks, and the wires remain above

THREATENED NULLIFICATION. Certain members of the Produce Exchange propose to have that institution defy the Saturday Half-Holiday law, relying upon the courts to sustain them.

This is nullification. The Produce Exchange is rich and powerful. Perhaps it can disregard the low with impunity. But if workingmen should undertake to set aside a law that they don't like, how would it fare with them?

Five days and a half are enough and too much for gambling in the food products of the nation. The Exchange would do better to respect the laws as they stand, or it may get statutes that it would relish even less.

HIB GOOSE IS HOT.

Tailor BLISSERT's goose is sissing hot. His shears have taken on an extra fine edge. Even his needles are sharper than usual. There is blood in his eye, and his tape sture yearns to line off the dimensions of Mr. CHARLES P. PALMER'S coffin.

1 For Mr. PALMER has twice insulted him. and not even the ninth part of a man, with hereditary fighting blood in his veins, will take a duplicated insult. And so Mr. Blis-SERT sends a challenge to Mr. PALMER, in the true Bob Acres vein.

It is unfortunate that the doughty tailor lenged party. He could then have named as the conditions of combat a trial test to see which could sit the longer on a hot goose.

NO MUSTACHES.

That queer sect, the Dunkard Church, in aference at Wabash, Ind., has denied the petition of its young men to wear mustaches and have their hair out.

By what process of reasoning it is held to be religious to use the razor and ungodly to use the shears, does not appear. But the prohibition of mustaches is hard on the young men and not fair towards the young women.

Have the Dunkard brethren never heard the Spanish proverb that " a mustache is to a kiss what salt is to an egg?" Why should they deny to the girls the delightful titillation and spicy seasoning provided by nature for the chaste salutes of lovers?

Is not a war on mustaches a quarrel with Providence for clothing the upper lips of

The logic of regulating other people's conduct by compulsion is carried to its full length by the "White Caps" in Indiana. They have just taken two men from their beds at midnight and whipped them severely -one for being too attentive to a neighbor's wife, the other for not providing for his family as the Regulators thought he ought to do. This is Prohibition with a vengeance.

The Pennsylvania Democrats, having been buried under 80,000 majority while being a little less Republican than the Republicans on the tariff question, have now taken the other tack and tried Tariff Reform. There is one consolation for them. They can't be beaten much worse than they were four

The Methodist delegates who cast a double ballot for Bishop probably forgot for the moment that they were not in a political convention. The fraying of their button-holes from incessant "electioneering" no doubt contributed to the illusion.

An ex-manufacturer of oleomargarine, made ondent by the restrictions of the law sinet his business, drowned himself in the river yesterday. Why didn't he buy some sows and make honest butter.

Bostons are picking up again, while of have taken another excursion into

FROM FARM AND RIVER.

Lettuce, 5 to 10 cents Spinsch, 40 cents a peck. Radishes, 9 cents a bunch. Tomatoes, 25 cents a quart. Strawberries, 15 to 25 cents, Asparagus 25 cents a bunch. White beans, 20 cents a quart. Best pineapples, 25 cents each. Soft-shell crabs, \$1,25 a dozen. Garlie, two bunches for \$5 cents. Horseradish root, 10 cents a pound, West Indian mangoes, \$1. 25 a dozen. Best Bombay dates, 15 cents a pound. Concy Island salmon, 75 cents a pound, Turkish Sg paste, 20 cents a pound box. Bluefish, caught off the Jersey coast, 18 cents pound.

WORLDLINGS.

Moscow Jackson, a sleeping-car porter on the Central Georgia Railroad, has been in the employ of Southern railroads since 1833. He was a slave, and was sold by his master to the Macon and Western road, now a part of the Central, and was for eighteen years put down among the valuable asset of that corporation.

Robson and Crane, who are probably close friends than any two actors on the stage, are to, tally unlike. Robson loves his books and fictures and is a hard student. Crane, on the other hand s fond of beseball and the race-course, and is probably the more popular actor. He is the drollest of men, and his fund of anecdote is inexhaust-

ABOUT TOWN COSSIP.

Jack McCormack is often seen on upper Broad way talking "horse,"

F. W. Devoe walks up Fifth avenue pleasan tays hatching out benevolent plans.

M. Hoffman Philip, one of the trnancy agents of his city, is a frequent vigitor at the public libraries. Oliver T. Fiske, once the press agent of Tragedian James Owen O'Connor, now writes poetry by the yard.

John Tucker, a Boston writer, has been visiting New York. He takes this roundabout way of getting to Thetford, Vt.

David Susaman, of Third avenue near Eighteenth street, will probably visit High Bridge this sum mer, and may take trip to Hoboken. Henry Strohmeyer, who owns the pretty yacht

Henry which plies the Hackensack, is being congratulated by his friends upon a narrow escape from drowning. The members of St. Columba's Lyceum, dis

anded about a year ago, are planning a reunion of the old "Our Talon" Club, which gave a many enjoyable et dons in days gone by. The reunion will be in the form of an excursion, which will take place in August,

SUNSHINE HERE AND THERE.

It is whispered that John Feeley is to study for the ministry. Willie Rung is a great favorite in the ward in which he lives.

William Rudicker is the sprightly President of the

William Doubleday, nicknamed " Hoodoo," i s mistaken for a cigar-store figure. John Kerrigan always enjoys an open-air picnic. He is now preparing to attend a few this summer.

William Harris, nicknamed "Party," is coaching the Eureka Baseball nine. He also plays left field. James Donnelly, the " Professor," furnishes the nusic for many of the social affairs on the east

John Manahan is called "Push," though for what reason no one outside the Polo Cinb se-Joseph Johnson is always on hand when there i

anything special occurring in any of the city ball-

Ed Stone is a ' 'Young Indian " (baseball player) often seen strolling along Madison avenue, bu rarely alone. No one would say that Dan Alexander was a

same, his friends declare. Jack Duffy is a well-known "old sport" of the Twenty-first Ward. You can see him almost any vening at the foot of East Ninety-first street.

EXODUS OF THE ARTISTS.

Messrs. Curran and Chapman will probably go o Gloncester this summer a ing there so well last year.

Homor Martin has not yet settled, where he will go. When Westches'er is so near, the need of a decision on the point doesn't seem pressing to him. The painters are beginning to get ready for their exodus to green fields and the seaside. Some have already left town; others will do so in,a few weeks.

Young Siddons Mowbray, who made such a hit with his Academy picture, "Evening Breezes," will get married the first week n sune, and will take his bride to Milford, Pa., for the honeymoon.

Miss Amy Cross, who does dainty flower pieces and has lately completed some beautiful illustra. ions for Browning, will go to Pigeon Cove. Mr. Alfred Munn, who has lately returned from Lonion, has leased Miss Cross's studio in the Sherwood for some months.

Mrs. Rhoda Holmes Nicholls has gone to Ellenville, in this State, for the summer. Mrs. Nich. oils will have a large class of pupils with her for instruction in painting from nature. Little Rhods loimes Nicholis, jr., declared to be the most exquisite baby in the United States, will also summer

Mr. A. A. Anderson, the handsome painter of landsome portraits, will sail on La Champagne on June 21 for Paris, where he intends to spend two years. Several months of this past year Mr. Anderson spent among the Rockies, engaged in shooting grizzlies and deer. His studio is filled with trophies of his skill as a marksman, the fleor being strewn with bear-skin rugs and the walls branching forth with magnificent antiers.

Found Open Doors.

Albemarle-J. Roell, of Amsterdam. Astor House: Frank B. Lawton, of Providence and C. C. Taft, of Dubuque. State-Senstor Donald McNaughton, of Rochester, is registered at the Windsor.

Dr. G. Kimball, of Lowell, Mass., and Col. Fred Mason, of Bridgeport, are at the St. James. Breakfaeleu at the Brunswick: R. D. McGibber of Montreal, and Jerome Carty, of Philadelphia. Just arrived at the Sturtevant House: Mrs. J. Disz, of Havans, and John A. Ruffin and wife, of

Virginia.

Senator J. C. Spooner, of Winconsin, and Gen. Anson G. McCook were among the early moraing arrivals at the Fifth Avenue.

Alfred L. Carey, one of the old settlers of Milwaukee, and cx-btate Senator Dan H. McMillen, of Buffalo, are among the latest arrivals at the Hoffman House.

Major Edward Maguire, of the Engineer Corps. U. S. A., is at the Grand, together with Theodore Pomeroy, of Utloa, and Mrs. A. Bonzano, of Pho-nixville, N. Y. Putting up at the Union Square Hotel are H. L. De Forest, of Santord, Fla.; Sidney B. Paine, of Boston; Charles H. Yale, of Philadelphia, and G. Thompson, of Boston.

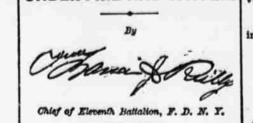
Thompson, of Boston.

Stopping at the Morton House are J. C. Rathboue, of Boston; Edwin Reamer, of Belieport; John S. Ostrom, of Rhinebeck; Charles H. Metcalf, of Boston, and B. Mandeville, of Albany.

Registered at the Hotel Dam are S. E. Stone, of Philadelphia; E. A. Hischcock, of Washington; B. Baron, of Baltimore; W. F. Ross, of Chicago, and F. G. Haywood, of Bristol, Conn.

D. Hondsman. D. Houderson, Manager of the Grand Opera-House at Chicago: Wm. P. Anderson, Vice-Fresi-dent of the Cotiqu-Bead Oil Trust, from Candinasti and Adolphus Busch, Fresident of the Antecour-Busch Brawing Company, of St. Louis, encod the Chicag Repose to store of the Course of the

UNDER FIRE AND WATER.



CONCLUDED.



N years gone by, or of the worst kind of fires was where a cotton warehouse was in flames. There used to be a number of these downtown, and when an alarm was sounded from the quarter where they were something

hot could be looked for. They used to tie up the bales then with ropes. Now I believe they have to bind them with iron hoops. When thy got on fire the bales would swell and burst the ropes. The cotton was packed very tightly into the bales and was simply jammed into the warehouses At one of the fires there was quite a tragic death of a fireman. The circumstances connected with his death were somewhat similar to those parrated by Chief Reeves about a young freman named Irving. By a singular coincidence, this fireman's name was also Ir-

It was his "day off" and he was to have gone to a ball in the evening. Before he tarted for the ball he strolled around to Engine-House No. 12. He belonged to No. 4. While he was there the alarm was sent in, and; though it was his "day off," he got on the truck and went to it.

A fireman loves his duties as much if no more than his salary, and they go about them with a good deal of vim and liking. So Irving never stopped to think that,he was free and did not have to go. If he had thought of it, it would have made no difference. He would have cone just the same.

When of to the fire it proved to be big cotton warehouse on State street. Cotton is a terrible thing for holding the fire. When it swells in the way I have said from the heat, the force with which it presses against the walls of a building is immense, This makes another source of danger to be added to the many which beset the professiona duties of the fireman. It is likely to burs the walls of the building in which it is packed and throw them down to the peril of everybody near them.



NO. 4 HAD A LINE UP THE LADDER.

That is what happened on this occasion When Engine 12 got to the fire No. 4 had a line up the ladder. Irving joined his company, and he, with two or three others were on the ladder at the time the walls were forced out.

hard worker, but he is a good fellow, just the The fire was blazing away, and every effort was being made to get the flaming stuff extinguished when the walls gave way. They were flung out with terrible force, and the escaping bales of cotton fell into the street, bounding like balls and rolling about, covered with fire.

The men on the ladder against the were, of course, flung down. The casualties were great. Several of the firemen were injured. Two of them were pinned against an iron fence by some of the bales, which jammed them in so tight they could not move till assistance was brought them.



THE MEN ON THE LADDER WERE FLUNG DOWN But poor Irving did not escape as lightly as this. His body was found cut completely in two at the middle of the trunk, and the head and arms were lying fully five feet away from the thighs and legs. It was a ghastly sight-as terrible a one as I have ever seen. Death must have been instantaneous, but horribly painful. An iron shutter had been hurled against him, with its thin edge against his body, and it had cut him in two as if it were a knife.

The fact that he had been on the point of going to a ball that very evening and had taken in the fire before going made his death more mournful. If he could have foreseen what a frightful fate awaited him at that burning cotton warehouse he would probably have taken advantage of his "day off" and have gone to the ball instead of going to the

But such a thing could not have been foreseen. Happily even the dangers which are to be anticipated as a matter of course at fires are not too deeply realized at the time. A fireman goes coolly into places where sheets of tin, or cornice moulding, or burning fragments and rafters are tumbling down. He has to set quickly, and if too lively a sense of the dangers that beset him were present to his mind at all times it would be too great a strain on his nerves and cour-age. He charges ahead and takes his chances. The wonder is that accidents and disasters do not overtake them even more frequently than they do.



BEST-KNOWN CITY BARBERS.

Voteran Valentine Kelb Has Not Missed

Day in Nineteen Years There has been no change of managemen in the tonsorial department of the Glenham Hotel since 1869. The



house was opened in that year and Valen tine Kolb took posses sion of its barber shop From that time to the present it is his boast that he has never

missed a day. Mr. Kolb was born in the Rheinish prov-Tweed.

VALENTINE ROLE. inces of Bavaria. He came to this country when he was eighteen years old in 1854. He had learned his trade in Germany. His first engagement in New York was in a shop at Bleecker street and Fork was in a shop at Bleecker street and Broadway, which he left after three years to enter the shop kept by Valet, the old French barber, whose place in Broadway, near Fourth street, was famous in those days. His next place was at the Everett House in its palmy days, when Wusstlicher was the proprietor of its barber shop, and then for eight years preceding 1869 he was one of John Schreiber's assistants at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Among the customers who patronize Management of the street and street

Among the customers who patronize Mr. Kolb's establishment are the Cuttings, the Belmonts, the Kingslands, Isaac Bell, the Lorillards, William Waldorf Astor, Jr., the

Lorillards. William Waldorf Astor, 'jr., the Redmonds, Lawrence W. Jerome, the Goelets, J. Koster, ex-Chief Justice C. P. Daly, the Schermerhorns, the Baldwins, the Remsens, the Wagstaffs, the Livingstons, J. K. Lawrence, C. C. Gunther, Col. McVickar, S. L. M. Barlow, Mr. Park, the senior partner of Park & Tilford—the two last named gentlemen he has shaved for twenty-six years—J. H. Starin, the Stern brothers, Mr. Van Wart, the sculptor, and Clarence Seward.

Mr. Kolb's patrons also include nearly all the active members of the Union Club and the Lotos Club, which are near by.

FIELD DAY AT BEAUFORT.

The North Atlantic Squadron's Brigade to Parade To-Day. ISPECIAL TO THE WORLD.

PORT ROYAL, S. C., May 24. - To-day will field day for South Carolina and Georgia. Already the hotels and boarding-houses at Port Royal and Reanfort are overcrowded, and a large number special excursion steamers are expected here from Charleston and Savannah with crowds of enthusiastic sightseers, all eager to witness the landing of the naval brigades of the different vessels of the North Atlantic squadron, which is to come off to-morrow at Beaufort. The landing force will be composed of about eight hundred officers, scame and marines of the flagsuin Richmond, steel cruiser Atlanta and corvettes Galena, Ossipee and Yantic. Admiral Luce has detailed Lieut.-Com-mander T. A. Lyons as Brigade Commander, with Lieut. Albert C. Dillugham as Adjatant-General, List night Admiral Luce issued the following order in connection with the landing, a copy of which was presented to The World correspondent by Aumiral Luce:

Admiral Luce:

Order—The seamen and marines of the squadron will be landed in Heaulort, S. C., at 11 A. M. on Thursday, the 14th inst., watther permitting. One days cooked rations will be provided. The inst. Gommander T. A. Lyons is provided to the command of the Lyons is force. The following routine of szericies will be observed: On landing and forming the command will be marched to the grounds in the rear of the court-house where it will be carried through a lew simple movements. Skirmsh lines will be thrown out and hank cartridges supplied. 1 P. M., go to dinner on the grounds. After dinner Beld sports until S. P. M., when drill will be resumed, ending with dress parade.

Rear-Admiral Commanding U. S. Naval Force, North Atlantic Station.

The citizens of Beaufort have invited Admiral Luce and the officers of the squadron to a grand ball to be given in honor of the fleet Friday night.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The closing session of the Hebrew Ministers' Association was held yesterday. The following delegates were appointed to attend the public meeting to be held in Philadelphia June a, for the purpose of forming a Hebrew publicaa, for the purpose of forming a Hebrew publication society: Drs. Gottheil, Konier and Mendelssohn. Officers were elected as follows: President,
Dr. Gottheil, of New York: First Vice-President,
Dr. Jastow, of Philadelphia; Second Vice-President,
Rev. Henry S. Jacob-, of New York: Treasurer,
Rev. Mr. Leucat, of Newark, N. J.; Corresponding
Secretary, Dr. De Sola Mender, of New York:
Recording Secretary, Rev. L. Stern, of this city.
Members of the Executive Board, Dr. Kohler, of
New York: Dr. Landsberg, of Rochester; Dr.
Mayer, of Philadelphia. The association adjourned
to meet in November at Philadelphia.

New York Coal Men at the Mines MAUCH CHUNK, Fa., May 24. -One hundred and seventy of the retail coal merchants of New York Brooklyn, under the leadership of F. E. Seward, of the Coal Trade Journal, are on a visit to the anthractic coal regions. They arrived in Mauch Chunk vesterday and took dinner at the Mansion House. In the afternoon they fook a trip over the Switchback Railroad. The party left has night for Wilkesbarre, where they will be the guests of the Board of Trade in that city. To-day they will visit the mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company and to-morrow will go to Scranton as the guests of the Board of Trade in that place. The party represents a total business of over two million tons of coal.

A Ball Player Charged with Murder. WILMINGTON, Del., May 24 .- John McMahon, pitcher of the Brandy wine Baseball Club, of West Chester, was taken in custody by Coroner Barnhill yesterday, charged with being implicated in the killing of Carman Malacalza on the night of May 7. killing of Carman Malacalza on the night of May 7. Forepaugh's Circus was exhibiting here and Malcalza had a peanut stand on the grounds. A gang of toughs upset his stand and in the row that followed Malcalza was hit with a stone, which fractured his skuil and caused his death. McManon, learning that he was suspected, came on from West Chester last night, as he says, to clear himself of the charge. On being confronted with the witnesset of the affair two of them identified him the man who threw the fatal stone.

Reopening the Artists' Club. The Palette Club has reorganized with headquarters at No. 21 West Twenty-fourth street. Judge Noah Davis is President and Mr. Ellineer Secretary. The open ingwas celebrated by a din-ner in the old style, attended by many artists. All old members are levited to dinner in the civil. Accepold members are invited to dinner in the club-ho on June 11. The life school has resumed work.

[From Texas Siftings.] T. A. Mo

Mistress of the House (to grocer's boy)-Tell you employer to send a boy better dressed next time. Boy-There sin't no boy in town better dressed

His Escort Denies the Theft. Madariaga, of No. 843 East Forty-second street, partook too freely of the flowing bowl during the evening of May 18 and was escorted to his home by James Hyan, aged twenty-seven years, of home by James Hyan, aged twenty-seven years, of No. 807 East Forty-second street. The following morning Madariags found that he had been robbed of his diamond ring, diamond only buttons, diamond stud, gold-headed cane and about \$60. He reported the case to Capt. Warts, of the East Fifty-first street station. Ryan was not found until Tuesday night. In the ForEville Court yeaterday he denied having robbed Madariags and was remanded. The stolen property is valued at \$1,800. Ro trace of it has been found.

HURRAH FOR THE BIG PIPES!

JOHN O'BRIEN WILL HAVE 10,000 VOTERS IN HIS INSIDE POCKET NEXT FALL.

Contracts for Aqueduct Work, Railron Building and Street Cleaning in Which Thousands of Men Will Be Employed-His Power in the Event of a Close Election. Hurrah for the big pipes!

They are with us again. There was a time when the big pipes had an influence at elections. I remember the big pipes of the days of

In those days Tweed and Sweeny kept 10,000 men at work laying big pipes. Every man employed on the big pipes had to vote the Tammany Hall ticket, Their

votes used to help the inspectors in the The big pipe men got \$2 a day, and many of them got more.

The Aldermen used to put their constitpents at work on the big pipes, and each Alderman could get as many as 500 tickets for jobs on the big pipes.

The big pipes were then in charge of the Department of Public Works. It was a bad day for Tammany Hall when

big pipe men from \$2 to \$1.60 a day. The big pipes are now laid under the ground by contractors who pay starvation wages. However, we are going to have miles and miles of work in burying big pipes.

And perhaps the big pipes may again have an influence in politics.

Hurrah. I say, for the big pipes!

And who has the contract for hiding the big pipes?

big pipes?

John O'Brien, ex-member of the Democratic State Committee, and he has a daisy contract with the Aqueduct Commissioners. Here are some of the figures of the big pipe

contract:
The contract is for \$1,030,000 worth of work. Four lines of big pipes are to be laid from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue to the Central Park Reservoir, distance about three miles. Each

pipe is to be four feet in diameter and to be of cast iron. The job is to be completed within two years, and fully 2,000 men are to be forthwith employed.

The Civil-Service law will not interfere with

The Civil-Service law will not interfere with the appointment of these big pipe men and they will be allowed to attend primary elections and conventions. In fact, John O'Briert may see to it that they do so, and it understood that they may vote as he may wish next November.

And John O'Brien, who was recently bounced from the Democratic State Committee, has within a few days obtained other contracts.

He has the contract to depress the tracks of the Hudson River road from One Hun-dred and Tenth street to the Harlem River, where the tracks are to enter a tunnel. The contract is for \$2,000,000, and 3,500 men are

to be employed at once.

Then John O'Brien has secured the contract to build a branch of the Long Island road to Cyster Bay cost \$500,000; number of men to be employed, 1,000. And he is beginning a contract on the New England road in Connecticut, which will employ 2,000 men. The contract price is

John O'Brien has the contract for clean-

John O'Brien has the contract for cleaning the streets of Brooklyn at \$500,000 a year. More than six hundred men are employed by him in this work.

He also has 1,000 men now employed in finishing up his Aqueduct contracts.

John O'Brien will have on election day at least 10,000 men in his employ, and very few of them are Italians without votes. The Italians who were in his employ at the election of 1885 were all naturalized, and all voted. Since then 2,200 Italians who want to work on big pipes and other contracts have been naturalized. They have become citizens to work and vote, and not to learn the English language.

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A Republican statesman said the other evening: "John O'Brien is angry. The friends of President Cleveland displaced him from the State Committee. O'Brien has, or will have, 10,000 men under his employ during the campaign. I wonder if they will all yote for Cleveland. 'Pears to me that John O'Brien has the electoral vote of this State in his vest pocket, should the contest be a clo

Anyhow the big pipes are coming to the front again in politics. The leaders may lay their political pipes, but John O'Brien and his three miles of four rows of four feet big pipes will employ, with other contracts,

He Told the Story of His Crime.

10,000 voters.

There is Tammany Hall and the County Democracy and the Big Pipes.

Will there be harmony between the three organizations? THIRD HOUSE.

[SPECIAL TO THE WOBLD.]
WHEELING, W. Va., May 24.—In the trial of Thomas Kelly and Harry Christie, indicted for the murder of Policeman Joe Glenn, Jan. 15 last, the main development was the testimony of George main development was the testimony of George McFarland, who was a city prisoner in jail at Newark, O., when these men were locked up there for a burgiary at Mount Vernon, O. McFarland said the men confessed to the Mount Vernon robbery, and Kelly said a black cat crossed his path as he came out of the storic and he knew it was bad luck. He went on to describe the murder of Gienn with much detail, showing an empty cartridge which he said was the one that "croaked" Gienn. The witness said that Kelly had said he and Christie were members of a gang of which hajor Win. C. Carman, well known here, was the chief, and that they operated over this section and as far west as Columbus and east to Pittsburg. Carman has disappeared.

Slashed to Pieces with a Bowle Kulfe. St. Louis, May 24. - Advices from the Chickasaw Indian Nation give an account of a bloody bowie knife butchery which occurred in one of the bends of Red River last Saturday. It sopears that two farmers named Washed Wards and James Schnetder got into a fight with bowie knives, and the former was literally cut to pieces, his right arm being severed at the aboutder and his back and entirely open, besides receiving numerous other morial games. Echneider was not harr and made his escape, but United States officers are in hot

Corea Commands a Loan of \$8,000.000. San Francisco, May 24. - From advices received here yesterday by the steamer City of Pekin, it is learned that the representatives of the German syndicate have received a concession from the Corean Government to work the gold mine in Peng Yang, and will loan the Government \$8,000,000 if necessary. Three United States officers are on their way to Corea to organize a modern army there. A disastrous conflagration has occurred at the town called Cho, in Yechizen, several weeks ago. Out of 2,000 houses constituting the town 1,800 were destrojed, and several people lost their

The Parson Killed Him with a Hoe St. Louis, May 24. - A singular story of a Baptist preacher killing his fatner-in-law comes up from the Indian Territory. Parson Cantrell is affectenth Day Baptist, and his father-in-law, Deacon Coffey, went to his field near Jimtown last Sonday, where Cautrell was ploughing, and not only remonstrated against his working on the Lord's Day, but uncertook to kick him out of the field. The parson re-

slated and split his father-in-law's head open with

This is the Season In which to purify and surich the blood, to restore the lest appetite and to build up the system, as the body is now sepecially susceptible to benefit from medicine. The peculier medicinal merit of and the weederful ourse by Hoad's Sarsaparille have made it the most popular spring medicine. It curse scretule, sail rheum and all humans, billousness, dyspepsis, headache, kidney and liver complaints, enterpr and all affections consend or presented by ley right of the system or impure blood, leaves, and the system of impure blood, leaves, all past for the fremestrik is to be by duration. Six six for the fremestrik is to be by duration. "THE MOST INFAMOUS TYRANNY."

That's What the Chlenge Cattle Pool Is Called by Philadelphia Butchers. PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—At yesterday's see

of the Butchers' Protective Association, President Armour presiding, Mr. Mooney, of New York, bill and ask Congress for its early passage, which was done. The Committee on Policy reported on the question of lard adulteration. The local committee of three appointed to prepare a paper against the beef monopolies submitted a lengthy and vehement report. They recommended the and venement report. They recommended the epforcement of the Local Live Stock bill in all cities of the first class in the United States. This law prohibits the sale of cattle for food which have not been killed subject to the magnetion of the municipal sanitary authorities within whose jurisdiction the meat is to be cut and retailed. The committee say that the adoption of a resolution by the National Assembly would place the matter on an entirely

different footing.

The Committee styles the cattle pool of Chicago as "the most infamous tyranny that ever existed in the United States. They have got their collar on the cattle producers of the entire West, and the only remedy is to inspect live stock and dressed meats in all prominent localities." The report goes on to say: "We think also that the worse combination in this country is the pork and adulterated lard packers. They have no equal in the Standard Oil Trust, the Sugar Trust, the Copper Trust, or any other Trust. They have had a powerful influence over our business for years. The prices of cattle to the producer have gone down 50 per cent, and the prices to the consumers has increased, and every single dollar of the difference has gone into the pocket of the combination." At this juncture the report was objected to as injurious to the cause of the assembly. However, the secretary was ordered to continue end the report went on in the same severe strain against the "combination," as the report termed it.

The report concluded with the injunction to strive for the in-pection bill. "Think of the different diseases of cattle. There are soid in the United States 700,000 pounds of diseased beef every year and about 500,000 pounds of diseased beef every year and other scaly diseases. The "monkey" veal most of all, nearly 1,000,000 pounds." This rather caustic report of the Philadelphia committee was laid on the table. different footing.

The Committee styles the cattle pool of Chicago Mayor Wickham reduced the wages of the

IT ENDED IN TWO MURDERS.

An Old Foud About Land Causes the Death of a Father and Son.

WEBSTER, N. C., May 24.-Tuesday afternoo Allen B. Dills, a well-known and highly respected farmer near here, shot and killed William H. Bumgarner and fatally wounded his father, Logar Bumgarner. The difficulty grew out of a mlannterstanding about a small tract of land, and is the ermination of an old feud. The Bumgarners had been at work on the disputed land during the

While they were at dinner Dills went to the spot, armed with a double-barrelled gun, and awaited their return. As they approached Dills said: "Don't come any further, or I'll shoot." They, however, continued to approach. Dills discharged one barrel of the gun without doing any damage, and attempted to fire again, but the cap snapped, and, as the eldgr Bungarner continued to approach. Dills drew a pistol and fired soveral shots, all of which took effect on the old man, who fell. The young man, who had a single-barrelled gun, then fired at Dills and turned to run. Dills fired upon him, striking him in the back, and he ran a short distance and fell dead. Dills made his escape, and is still at large. The latest report says the old man Bungarner has seven builtes in him, and is expected to die at any moment. armed with a double-barrelled gun, and awaited

Constitution Centennial Committees. [SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

POUGHEERPRIE, May 24. - The following are the Legislative committees appointed to represent the State at the centennial anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution by the State of New York. On the part of the Senate: Gilbert A. Deane, Copake the part of the Senate: Gibert A. Deane, Copake Iron Works: John H. Robertson, Katonah; Henry Russell, Albany; Henry G. Coggeshall, Waterwille; John J. Linson, Kingston; John Foley, Saratoga Springs; Michael F. Collins, Troy. On the part of the Assembly: Robert Ray Hamilton, New York; James W. Husted, Feetskill; Danforth E. Ainsworth, Sandy Creek; John S. Platt, Pedigh-Keepsle; John C. Adams, Newburg; George Cromwell, New Dorp; William F. Sheshan, Buffalo, Robert P. Bush, Horseheads; George S. Ward, Plattaburg; Nicholas O'Connor, New York.

Railroad Property Attached.

Youngstown, O., May 24.—The Newcastle and Beaver Valley Railroad Company commenced an ction here yesterday against the Pittsburg, For Wayne and Chicago Railroad and the Pennsylvania Company, claiming \$309,221 due under a lease of the line by the defendants. All the property of the defendants in this county was attached by the Sheriff to-day pending a decision.

> FUN FOR AFTER DINNER. Off for the Country.



Mrs. Beeckman Plaice-Is the parrot frightened hiver? No, ma'am; but he do be th'only t'ing up here thot aint!

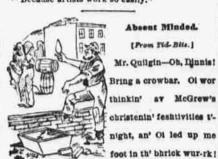
Their Work Should Be Cheap [From the Patieburg Chronicie.]
"What is the price of that painting?" asked Mr. Snaggs, while inspecting the treasures of a Pittsburg art store.

"That is \$2,500," replied the clerk.

"Oh, that's too much. Oil paintings ought to be much cheaper than they are — very much cheaper."

"Indeed 7 Why, may I ask ?"

"Because artists work so easily."



Absent Minded. [Prom I'd-Bits.] Mr. Quilgin-Oh, Dinnis! Bring a crowbar, Ol wor

May Fancies. [From Harper's Basar.]

It is in the spring that the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love, but it is not until the first of May that his emotion takes visible there.

When a man has changed his domicile and has mrasured the extent of his losses, he thinks he see a derivative affiliation between the words "truck and "truculent." Since Nature's so sweet and so smiling in May,
And everything beautifut comes 'neath her sway,
'Ts rather peculiar, the sole rhyme to Gemini—
Alas for the poet!—is lemony!
And this is account,
For there's no such word.

This is the time of year when the new arrival in the country lets the early train to town go, so that he may run back and tell his wife that there is a robin across the street.

The proud young father with his first son always has a Presidential bee in his bonnet; but oh, how he does get over it as babies thicken. The small boy of the rural districts is now on the tipide of excitement over the approach of the season wherein he may emulate the father of his country and take a hack at the cherry tree.

country and take a hack at the cherry tree.

The annual crusade against the barbed-wire fence is about to begin colacidently with the opening of the fishing season. A philosopher who spends his winters hunting alligators in Fiorida and his summers whipping trout atreams in the Adiroudacks, has given it as his personal experience that a man may recover from the alphtheris, the mumps, or even the cholera, but he can never get over the barbed-wire fence and ramain the creature he case was.

DISCIPLINE FOR FIREMEN

DELINQUENTS MAKING EXCUSE FOR LAPSES TO THE COMMISSIONERS.

Gen. Porter Present Watching the Present ings Closely—Capt. Short Arraigns Two of His Mon and Says a Good Word for Them-Fatigue That Produced the Effect

of Intexication-Two Missing Fireme Another squad of delinquent firemen ware brought before the Commissioners yester. day. Gen. Fitz John Porter was present in his new official capacity, but took no active part in the trials contenting himself with

watching the proceedings closely. Fireman John J. O'Neil, of Hook and Ladder No. 1, was the first called. He was charged with being under the influence of liquor on May 14. He pleaded not guilty. Capt. Short testified that on the day in ques-tion O'Neil was asleep in his bunk, and when called to attend to his duties staggered over the floor and acted in a manner that justified the charge.

In his own defense O'Neil stated that he and been at a wake the night before, but had drank no intoxicating liquor. It was a strictly temperate wake, he said. His staggering and other peculiar antics were caused by fatigue.

When asked by the President what kind of a fireman O'Neil was, Capt. Short stated that he considered him above the average at a fire, but that in the company quarters he was lax in discipline.

lax in discipline.

As this was the sixth charge brought against him, the Commissioners were inclined to dismiss him from the force, but in consideration of his good reputation he was fined ten days' pay and warned that another charge would be followed by dismissal.

Fireman John W. Bearman, also of Hook and Ladder 1, was arraigned on a similar charge. His excuse was that he was suffering from nervousness and a friend had given him some medicine which made him drowar and stupid.

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Capt. Short testified that Bearman was a hard drinker, and on the day named in the complaint (May 14) was unable to get upstairs, owing to his condition. He was a and stupid.

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Fireman E. J. Lacey, of Engine Company 5, was charged with failing to pay a bill of \$8. Upon his promise to settle it next pay day the charge was laid over.

Fireman Christopher Bruton, of Engine Company 33, was charged with failing to respond to two alarms of fire on the night of May 11. His excuse was that he had been on night-watch two evenings in succession, and had also been drilling at the School of Instruction, so that he was completely tired out and was not awakened when the alarm sounded. Bruton is a new man, having been on the force only three months. He received a reprimand.

One Editor Has a Black Eye.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD,]
PINE BLUFF, Ark., May 24.—A newspaper wasfare has been going on for several weeks between Editor C. G. Newman, of the Commercial, and Editor Arthur Murray, of the Press-Engle, which yesterday culminated in a street fight, from which puglistic encounter Editor Newman carried a black eye. No swords or guas were drawn on either side.

LITTLE THINGS THAT KILL. The Musings of a Great Dector.



been known to produce paralysis and ultimately death; to little draught of air may cause pneumonia; a little disease rerm, of which it would take a million side by side to nake an inch, may cause cholers or typhoid fever; a pinprick in the face may cause erympelas; the puncture of a hairpin or toothpick in the ear may rupture the ear and cause chronic desfness; a bit of steel in the eye may rasult in total blindness, and so the examples might be

"A kernel of Scotch Oats is a very little thing, but looked up in it are three wonderful medical principles. First, a Brain and Nerve Remedy; second, Phosperus, & Brain and Nerve Food, and third, Bookine, an apent

aged, the expectant mother, the nursing mother, the boy, the infant at the breast, the invalid, the con

cent, the athlete are alike affected beneficially by it.

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"And, best of all, it is purely regutable, perfectly

harmless, from the lap of Nature herself, and Meacious and pleasant.

the reporter "good-night,"

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good fireman and deserving of clemency, the Captain said, and his condition was due to domestic trouble.

This statement was what saved Boarman,

on the force only three months. He received a reprimand.

Fireman George McTaggart, of Engine Company No. 19, charged with absence without leave for thirteen bours, failed to respond when his name was called, and Capt. Dwyer informed the Commissioners that McTaggart had gone to breakfast that morning and had sent back word that he was sick. The charge was laid over until the next meeting.

Adam Mesner, of Engine Company 53, charged with absence without leave for twenty-three hours, was reported to be under the doctor's care, so the charge was laid over.

over.

President Purroy then announced that as the Board was now full, he would appoint Commissioner Croker a Commistee on Buildings and Supplies and Commissioner Porter a Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

The Board adjourned until Tuesday next.

"It is a curious thing," said a prominent physici conversation with a reporter, " how many very little and very insignificant things hare foot: the nib of a per or a piece of giass in the

pit may lodge in the bound and produce fatal abscess; the sting of a wasp had

multiplied. "And just as little things as cause death and dis may save life and insure health at certain times. A few drops of Scotch Oats Essence have saved many an creeworked brain from Insanity, have made many an others wise fatal spism of the Heart harmless, have prevented many a person from Lockjaw and kept many a cradle's tenant free from Convulsions.

that acts on Bowels, Laver, Stomach and Kidneys, As Oats or Oatmeal it would take bushels or peaks to de what a few drops of Scotch Oats Essence, a concentrated medical extract. do quickly and well, "I must say that Scotch Oats Essence is the little big thing, or the biggest little thing in the way of a made ical discovery made this century. The old, the middle

And the great man rose from his study shair and tod